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THE CALIFORNIA MEDICAL ASSOCIATION THROUGH THE COMMITTEE ON POSTGRADUATE WORK

FOREWORD

The American Medical Association, with its constituent state and county units, recognizes the need for the continued education of practitioners of medicine.

Postgraduate work comprises the continuation education of the practitioner of scientific medicine. It enables him to remain abreast of scientific progress and to apply in his daily practice the newer procedures with an understanding of their underlying principles and fundamentals.

The California Medical Association acknowledges and proposes to discharge its obligation to afford opportunities to its members to engage in continuing educational studies with a minimum of inconvenience, time, and expense. To that end, the educational opportunities listed in this prospectus have been developed and are being made available to members of the Association.

These conferences are not intended to prepare physicians for any specialty. The subjects presented will be dealt with in a practical, clinical manner, and not didactically. Clinical demonstrations will feature each presentation.

The conferences have been planned on a five-year program basis, and each year will disclose a varied arrangement of subjects. Policies, methods, attendance credits, reviews, and short intensive intramural courses in the medical colleges of this State will be announced from time to time in California and Western Medicine.

Clinicians will be selected from the staffs of all four California medical colleges and from the staffs of approved hospitals. In every instance the clinician will be one who has established a reputation as being a competent man in the subject assigned, and possesses the ability to conduct his clinic in true teaching atmosphere.

The committee trusts that members will recognize the great personal value that this program can have for every practicing member. It is hoped they will embrace these opportunities in their respective districts. Correspondence is invited.

Communications for the Committee on Postgraduate activities should be sent to the Central Office of the California Medical Association, addressed to the California Medical Association Committee on Postgraduate Activities, care of George H. Kress, Secretary, 450 Sutter Street, San Francisco, California. October. 1938.

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CALIFORNIA MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Excerpts from the Constitution

ARTICLE I.-NAME

Section 1.-Name

The name of this organization is the California Medical Association.

ARTICLE II.—PURPOSES AND GENERAL ORGANIZATION

Section 1.—Purposes

The purposes of this Association are to promote the science and art of medicine, the protection of public health, and the betterment of the medical profession; to promote similar interests of its component county societies; and to unite with similar organizations in other states and territories of the United States to form the American Medical Association.

Section 2.—Organization

This Association, as a state unit of the American Medical Association, and as the state expression of the component county societies of California, shall have three major divisions: one, the Association as a whole, as when it meets in general session; two, the Scientific Assembly and its subordinate or related bodies; and, three, the House of Delegates and its subordinate or related bodies.

EXCERPT FROM BY-LAWS: CHAPTER V.—COMMITTEES

Section 20.—Committee on Postgraduate Activities

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The Committee on Postgraduate Activities, of which the secretary-treasurer shall be an ex-officio member, shall use its best efforts to promote the postgraduate and clinical courses and instruction among the component county units of the Association.

The supervision of such postgraduate and clinical courses and instruction shall be carried on through the central offices of the Association, the Council being empowered to defray travel expenses of guest speakers and other costs incident to such work to such amount as in the judgment of the Council may be deemed proper. In the development of such postgraduate and clinical courses and instruction, it is stipulated that the component county societies, through their constituted representatives, shall coöperate with the Standing Committee on Postgraduate Activities and shall also arrange to bear a proper proportion of the expense thereof of such amount as may be mutually agreed upon.